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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

- 1            8.        (Amended) The system according to claim 7, wherein said computing unit
- 2 includes:
- 3                    a first computing element for computing at least one of phase and amplitude of
- 4 a heterodyne beat signal produced by said reference interferometer,